

Engineering Heritage Australia Bulletin: #2

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Australasian Engineering Heritage Conference, Dunedin NZ

The theme: Future of the Past focuses on heritage engineering and technology that has endured, been redeveloped, undergone restoration or repurposing to claim a place in the future.

Pre-conference tour: 11-14 November 2021

Conference: 14-17 November 2021

Website: <https://www.engineeringnz.org/programmes/heritage/heritage-2021/>

Western Australian Heritage Awards

Categories include:

- Voluntary individual contribution
- Professional contribution
- Contribution by a community-based organisation
- Contribution by a private organisation
- Contribution by a public organisation (includes local governments and State Government departments)
- Interpretation project
- Heritage tourism product
- Conservation or adaptive reuse of a State Registered Place

Nominations are completed and submitted online. Register or login to the [WA Heritage Awards portal](#), to start a nomination

More information is at the [Department of Planning, Lands and Heritage](#) website.

Nominations close 4pm, Friday 6 August 2021.

NSW Heritage Act Review: Royal Australian Historical Society's Submission

Royal Australian Historical Society's submission to the review of the NSW Heritage Act can be found at: <https://www.rahs.org.au/submission-to-the-nsw-heritage-act-review/>

2021 Create NSW Cultural Grants

Submissions for the 2021 NSW Cultural Grants Program are now OPEN!

The [Cultural Grants Program](#) is a Create NSW funded program, administered by the RAHS on behalf of the NSW Government. Projects should be relevant to understanding the history of NSW and its people and places. Grants of up to \$5,000 support the work of historical research and publication undertaken by local historical societies and similar bodies across New South Wales. The projects must be completed within 12 months (October 2022). Applications may be made for more than one project.

The program can fund projects in the following categories:

- Research
- Publication
- Collation and Preparation
- Conservation
- Education Programs
- Professional Support
- Travel Expenses

If you are interested in applying, the guidelines and application form can be downloaded from the RAHS website. The closing date for the 2021 Cultural Grants Program is 31 August 2021.

Please contact Maryanne Byrne, the RAHS grants administrator, via grants@rahs.org.au should you have any queries regarding the program.

Burra Charter

The Burra Charter 2013 and associated Practice Notes are available for download at <http://australia.icomos.org/publications/burra-charter-practice-notes/>

Cenotaph Story

The attached not well-known image which has recently come to light, is of JJC Bradfield and Alfred Martin, Manager of the Sydney Harbour Bridge workshops and Chief Assistant to Lawrence Ennis who was Dorman Long's construction supervisor of the bridge. It shows the two men at the Moruya quarry inspecting part of the stonework for the Cenotaph in Martin Place, Sydney.

The photo probably came from a newspaper file, because inscribed on the back is the accompanying image of a handwritten note directing publication of the Bradfield & A. Martin image, on the leader page.

Also attached are images of the altar stone being dressed in the quarry and of the Cenotaph. The Cenotaph was constructed by Dorman Long and was supervised by Bradfield

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